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SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE REFUGEES: BOAT CASES

1. TWO EMBOFFS RETURNED FROM INTERVIEWING REFUGEES AT FIVE
LOCATIONS ON EAST COAST MALAYSIA LAST WEEK. THE FOLLOWING ARE
NUMBERS OF PREVIOUSLY UNREPORTED REFUGEES WHO WERE INTERVIEWED:

- A. KOTA BHARU: 3 BOATS--67 PEOPLE
- B. KUALA TRENGGANU: 1 BOAT--12 PEOPLE
- C. KUALA DUNGUN: 5 BOATS--84 PEOPLE
- D. KUALA KEMAMAN: 4 BOATS--75 PEOPLE
- E. KUANTAN: 3 BOATS--57 PEOPLE
- TOTAL: 16 BOATS--295 PEOPLE

VISA FALCON AND BIO CABLES BEING SUBMITTED ON APPROXIMATELY
120 PEOPLE.

22. OFFICIAL IN TRENGGANU STATE SECURITY COMMITTEE TOLD
EMBOFF THAT PLANS ARE BEING MADE (SUBJECT TO APPROVAL
BY NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL AND AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS)
TO PUT ALL THE REFUGEES ON EAST COAST PENINSULAR MALAYSIA
INTO ONE CAMP ON PULAU BESAR. PULAU BESAR IS AN ISLAND
A FEW HUNDRED YARDS OFF THE COAST, APPROXIMATELY 37
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MILES SOUTH OF KUALA TRENGGANU.

3. THE CURRENT KNOWN TOTAL OF BOAT CASE REFUGEES IN
MALAYSIA IS

- A. PENINSULAR MALAYSIA: 549
- B. SABAH: 113

C. SARAWAK: 203
TOTAL 865
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